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i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on		
ii. X Other Amendment filed on December 20, 2005		
b Enclosed		
i Amendment/Reply iii Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)		
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2. Miscellaneous		
a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a		
period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)		
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